

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH HEALTH REGULATION & LICENSING ADMINISTRATION

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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION*

Name of Facility:		Street Address, City, State, ZIP Code:		Survey Date:		
Premium Select Home Care Inc.,		5513 Illinois Ave., NE Wash., DC			11/12&13/08 Follow-up Dates(s):	
Title 22 Chapter 39 3914.3	A 90 Day renewal licensure sun initial plan of corrections was co on November 13&14, 2008. The were based on record reviews a sample size was six (6) based on 3914 Patient Plat. The plan of care shall include the (i) Identification of employees in emergency situations Based on record reviews, it was agency failed to provide docume charge of managing emergencies reviewed.	nducted in your facility following deficiencies and staff interviews. The n a census of 67. In of Care e following: charge of managing determined that the ntation of employees in	140.	The emergency protocol is reviewed with the client/caregivers during the admission process by the admitting R.N. or P.T. The emergency protocol form is included in the admission book (see attachment appendix A) The protocol is reviewed with the the HHA/PCA and they are instructed to notify the Director of Nursing or Designee if the patient experiences any of the problems listed or any significant problems. In addition, staff members are instructed to implement CPR when necessary and instructed to call 911 if a patient experience any of the following: A fall with a broken bone or bleeding: Chest pain that medicine doesn't help; Difficulty in Breathing; In-ability to wake the patient; Severe or prolonged bleeding; and Severe or prolonged pain. All staff members are responsible for implementing the emergency plan if they are in the patient's home when the problems occurs. The Physician Plan of Care		Completion Date 11/17/08 ongoing
3914.4	Each plan of care shall be approved and signed by a physician within thirty (30) days of the start of care; provide, however, that a plan of care for personal care aide services only may be approved and signed by an			In-service the patient/caregivers on the emergency protocol. The POC will also include an order for all staff members to implement the emergency protocol. The emergency protocol procedures are part of the initial staff orientation.		

Name of Inspector

Date Issued

Facility Director/Designee

1/2/09 Date



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advanced practice registered nurse. If a plan of care is initiated or revised by a telephone order, the telephone order shall be immediately reduced to writing, and it shall be signed by a physician within thirty (30) days.

Based on record reviews, it was determined that agency failed to provide signature from physician within thirty (30) days for three (3) care plans reviewed.

Findings as follows:

Client #2 - start of care dated 10/09/08 no signature noted.

Client #3- start of care dated 09/17/08 signed 10/29/08.

Client #4- start of care dated 09/25/08 no signature noted.

The above deficiencies were acknowledged by the Director of Nursing.

Please be advised that the above deficiencies were also cited on the original Statement of Deficiencies dated 07/14/08.

The Plan of Care is initially mailed to the client's Physician. If not returned by 3 weeks it is faxed or Hand delivered to the physician's office for signature with the attached letter (see attachment appendix B). The list of orders that needs to be signed and the action taken to obtain the orders will be reviewed with the Administrator weekly. The medical record staff person will track the orders using an excel spread sheet. If the orders are not received in 30 days, the orders will given to the Medical Director for signature until we can get the client's physician to sign the orders. The Medical records personnel will meet weekly with the Administrator to review all outstanding orders and implement strategies to obtain all orders timely.

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